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In re Application of	:	
Nancy Jean Britten, et. al.	:	
Application No. 10/687,986	:	ON PETITION
Filed: October 17, 2003	:	
Attorney Docket No. 00661.US1	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), on August 17, 2006, to revive the above-identified application. The delay in responding is regretted.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 7, 2006.

37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) requires a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. Since the statement contained in the instant petition varies from the language required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3), the statement is being construed as the statement required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) and petitioner must notify the Office if this is not a correct interpretation of the statement.

Also, the Office mistakenly charged petitioner's deposit account \$130 for the petition to revive fee. However, a petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) requires a petition fee of \$1,500 (large entity). Therefore, the difference of \$1,370 (1500-130) will be charged to petitioner's deposit account, as authorized in the instant petition filed on August 17, 2006.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b), in that, petitioner has supplied (1) an election; (2) the petition fee of \$1,500; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The file does not indicate a change of address has been submitted, although the address given on the petition differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition; however, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

This application file is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 1654, for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.



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